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Houseparty Features Davison, Charlatans and Sports Events

Hill students and their dates will be treated to a three hour jazz concert by Wild Bill Davison behind the Chi Psi house next Saturday morning from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. Free refreshments will be provided by the Social Committee.

Davison, one of the most well known jazz cornetists in the country, gave concerts on the Hill in the Spring of both 1952 and '53. Currently he is playing at Eddie Condon's night club in Greenwich Village. As yet the Social Committee has not received definite word on the names of the remaining five men in the sextet.

The *New Yorker* has called Davidson "the prime mover in an unrestrained jazz riot . . . Bill's happy little hunting horn echoes from wall to wall . . . He has the damn-the-torpedoes style of cornet . . ." George Hoefer, jazz editor of *Down Beat* magazine has classified Davidson jazz as "illustrating well the devil-may-care style of the uninhibited, angelic looking cornetist."

This will be the only Social Committee-sponsored event of the weekend. Friday night, after the Charlatans production in Commons, will be the traditional house-to-house traveling, while Saturday evening will find most of the houses having closed parties. Sports events on tap for the weekend include a lacrosse match against Cortland State Teachers College at 2:30 in addition to the second track meet of the year in which Hamilton will compete with Ithaca College also at 2:30.

Hill is Host Tonight and Tomorrow To 50 Prep and Hi-School Seniors

By John Graves

Approximately 50 high school and prep school seniors will come to the Hill tonight and tomorrow morning to take part in the second of the sub-freshman weekends this year.

Although the group this weekend will not be as large as the group of 75 sub-freshmen who participated in the weekend of February 25-26, the total of 125 men who will have attended the two weekends this year is the largest number since the sub-freshman weekends were originated.

Almost all sub-freshmen who will be at Hamilton tomorrow and Sunday have already been accepted. Some of them are candidates for scholarships, some are still undecided, and many have already decided on Hamilton but wish to acquaint themselves with the college before next Fall. Several high school juniors, prospective members of the Class of 1960, will also be present this weekend.

Last year, over half of the 40 high school students who attended the Spring sub-freshman weekend came to Hamilton, and 43 of the 78 men who took part in either weekend last year became members of the Class of 1958.

Extensive Program

Al Shaler, '57, chairman of the Student Admissions Committee commented that this sub-freshman weekend will have the most extensive program ever. The students will arrive Friday night and Saturday morning, registering from 9 a.m. until noon on Saturday. All will have lunch in the fraternity houses, where they will sleep Saturday night. Each fraternity will house three to five men.

After lunch, at 1:45, Tom Gregory, Assistant Secretary of Admissions will welcome the group in the Chapel, after which Dean Tolles will speak. Later, the visitors may attend the tennis match against Utica College, which begins at 2:00, and the Union-Hamilton track meet, at 2:30.

In addition, there will be a tour of the campus for those who have not yet seen the college.

Library Tour

Librarian Walter Pilkington will also conduct a tour of the library and explain some of the library's functions for all interested in the afternoon. At 4:30, the sub-freshmen will have a chance to use all athletic facilities in the gymnasium, including the swimming pool.

Shaler reports that a new feature will be added to the sub-freshman weekend this Spring. Tomorrow, Dr. Hess will be available in his office for consultations with any sub-freshman interested in the pre-medical program of the college. Professor Gere will also be in his office to speak with any visitors interested in engineering.

After eating supper at the fra-

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Honor Court Will Submit Change To Student Body

Would Take Effect For New Election

Next Thursday in Chapel, the Honor Court will submit for amendment a section of the Honor Court, Constitution. Following is an explanation by the Court of why the change has been necessitated:

In the last few years the Honor Court, as it attempted to work out a just and practical solution to the problem of electing its members, has encountered certain difficulties. In the present constitution Art. 1. sec. 3 states that "the incumbent committee shall elect one of its junior members to serve as chairman for the succeeding year," while Art. 1. sec. 4 states that "the chairman of the committee shall be chosen by the committee from its senior representatives."

In solving this conflict there are two problems to keep in mind. First, if the above clause in Art. 1, sec 3 is deleted and two juniors are elected to serve as senior representatives, the school faces the risk of having an all new Court with an inexperienced chairman. On the other hand, if Art. 1. sec. 4 is deleted and one junior member of the Court should happen to leave school at the end of his junior year, the Court would be severly restricted in choosing its chairman.

To prevent the occurence of either of these two situations, the Court, in accordance with Art. 9, will ask the student body next Thursday to amend Art. 1 sec. 4 to read "If one or both junior members leave school upon the completion of their junior year, the chairman shall be chosen by the retiring committee from the newly elected senior representatives."

At a recent meeting, Dick Field was elected president of Lambda Chi. The new vice-president for next year is Bob Clobridge.

Nineteen Nominees Compete for 4 Council Positions

Students to Elect At May 5 Chapel

The Student Council Elections Committee has approved the following nominations for representatives to next year's Student Council. Elections will be held in next Thursday's Chapel.

For the Class of '58

Frank Giruzzi, Utica; Squires. Reed Hand, Rochester; Delta Kappa Epsilon. Dave Smalley, Larchmont; Alpha Delta Phi. Peter Dayton, Larchmont; Tau Kappa Epsilon. Bill Fivaz, Fulton; Delta Upsilon.

For the Class of '57

Don Spector, Brooklyn, Squires. Joby Burns, Clinton; Sigma Phi. Pete O'Hara, Norwich; Chi Psi, Al Shaler, Freeport; Tau Kappa Epsilon. Al McGann, Syracuse; Delta Kappa Epsilon. Paul McGiffin, Summit, New Jersey; Alpha Delta Phi. Carl Hansen, Westhampton Beach; Delta Upsilon.

For the Class of '58

Hal Bruck, Newark, New Jersey; Delta Kappa Epsilon. Rick Hatch, Montclair, New Jersey; Chi Psi. Dave McMillan, New York City; Tau Kappa Epsilon. Tom Briaddy, Syracuse; Delta Upsilon.

For Member-at-Large

Bob Connor, Worcester, Massachusetts; Tau Kappa Epsilon. Bill Barber, Binghamton; Sigma Phi. Bruno Colapietro, Endicott; Delta Upsilon.

The men elected will join John Driscoll, Jerry van Dijk, and Pete Eckel on next year's Council. There will be no run-off election.

Professor Hawley To Speak Monday On Arctic Geology

Monday evening May 2 Professor David L. Hawley will speak at this semesters final meeting of the Sigma Xi honorary science fraternity. The meeting will be held in the Chemistry Auditorium at 8 p.m. and will be open to the College community.

Professor Hawley plans to speak about the geology, physiography, and permafrost phenomena of the Arctic or North Slope of Alaska. During the summer of 1953, he was a member of the Air Force Research Project which was contracted to do work in this area for the Boston University Physical Research Laboratories. Professor Hawley was also a member of the United States Geological survey team which went to Glacier Bay National Monument, in southeast

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Charlatans' shown in rehearsal for their production next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of The Beautiful People. From left to right; Leon Gane, Virginia Park, Gary Tischler, Ed Smith and Ted Davis.

Charlatans to Present Annual Spring Production Next Week

The Charlatans added finishing touches to *The Beautiful People* this week, as they prepared for their Spring production. The play will be presented in the Soper Hall of Commons next Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 8:00

Tickets for the play became available yesterday morning. No admission will be charged, but all seats are reserved. Faculty and friends of the college are urged to attend the Wednesday and Thursday night presentations, since students and their Spring Houseparty dates are expected Friday, May 6.

Carroll is Director

Ben Carroll, '56, is directing the Charlatans in the William Saroyan comedy, which concerns an unusual family living in prewar California. Heading the cast are Ed Smith, '56, as Owen Webster; Mrs. Virgina Park as Agnes Webster; Gary Tischler, '57, as Jonah Webster; and Mrs. Ethel Cameron as Harmony Blueblossom.

Others in the cast are Al Prettyman, '56, as William Prim; Leon Gane, '58, as Dan Hillboy; Ted Davis, '55, as Father Hogan; Paul Carter, '56, as Harold Webster; and Jim Holmlund, '58, as Steve.

Carroll, referring to the play, said this week, "It is somewhat different from anything the Charlatans have attempted recently, but rehearsals are running smoothly. The set and the lighting should add a great deal to the fantasy theme."

Set by Rizzo

The set was designed by Frank Rizzo, '58, and was constructed by Jim Kehoe, '56, and his crew. The art work is being done by Al Stripp, '56, and Mike Nadel, '56. Nick Martianoff, '57, will be in charge of the Charlatans' new lighting equipment.

Other committee chairmen are Bob Frese, '56, tickets; Mike Sundell, '56, programs; and George Boveroux, '56, posters. Walt Deisseroth, '58, is prop-man for the production.

Two New Faculty Members Named For Next Year

Synakowski and Bullock to Leave

The College has appointed two new instructors to replace professors Bullock and Synakowski.

Kent B. Erickson will be a new instructor in physics. Erickson received his bachelor's degree in civil engineering at the University of Maine in 1948 and his A.B. at the University of North Carolina in 1949. He expects to earn his master's degree in physics at the University of Chicago this summer. He also spent one year with the American Friends Service Committee work camp projects in Mexico.

From January, 1951 through June, 1953, Erickson taught mathematics and physics at Scattergood School, a Quaker private school at West Branch, Iowa. He is a member of Tau Beta Phi, professional engineering fraternity, and Phi Kappa Psi and served in the Army from 1944 to 1946.

Kai Edward Nielson will replace Synakowski as instructor in philosophy. Nielson earned his A.B. in philosophy with honors from the University of North Carolina in 1949. From 1951 to 1953, he served as graduate fellow and assistant at Duke University, where he plans to earn his Ph. D. this June. Neilson is also a veteran of World War II, having served in the Pacific.

Professor Bullock is leaving Hamilton to do research and teaching in nuclear physics at the University of Boston. Next fall Synakowski will assume a position as instructor of philosophy at Utica College.

Debate Club Sends Four to Fordham

This week, the Hamilton Debate Club is sending four debaters to the Eastern Forensic Association at Fordham College, Bronx, New York. Twenty-five eastern colleges will be represented at this tournament.

Competing in six debates, Dave McMillan, '58, and Lyn Sinnamon, '58, will speak for the affirmative, and Tom Lucik, '57, and Brit Harwood, '58, for the negative. Also at this tournament McMillan and Sinnamon will enter a contest in extemporaneous speaking, and Harwood will compete in a persuassive speaking contest.

At the third annual Amherst Invitation College Tournament, April 16, 24 college teams competed. Jim Magee, '55, and Pete O'Hara, '57, affirmative, won two and lost two. For the negative, Bob Connor, '56, and Ben Sheerer, '56, won one and lost three. Magee was awarded special honors as second best individual affirmative and also second best debater of the tournament. Connor was the third best negative debater.

Dick Corradi, '56, was elected president of the Student Christian Association at a meeting are Pres Dawes, '56, vice-presi-Sunday, April 24. Other officers dent and worship chairman; Steve Hoffman, '58, secretary-treasurer; Gene Scott, '57, publicity; Arthur Melius, '58, outreach, and Frank Gross, '57, fellowship.

Huber Foundation Awards Hamilton $10,000 Grant

The Huber Foundation of Red Bank, New Jersey has recently given $10,000 to Hamilton for post-doctoral studies by faculty members. This year grants have been given to eight faculty members.

Professor Mattingly will receive aid for the completion of his manuscript "The Iconography of Giodgione." The grant will enable him to visit several authorities who have expressed interest in his work. Also in the field of classical scholarship is the grant to Professor of Greek, Herbert Long, for work on his critical edition of "Diogenes Laërtius." Long will do his work at the Institute for Advanced Studies at Princeton.

Three professors have received gifts which will enable them to attend summer conferences. Professor Gere will attend the International Symposium on Electromagnetic Wave Theory. Professor Ogilvy, also of the Mathematics Department, is going to MIT for two weeks this summer to study numerical analysis. This subject is very important in the development of high speed computers. The third grant for summer conference work will go to Professor Gerold who will attend a physiology workshop at the University of Connecticut. The object of the workshop is to solve problems involved in the teaching of physiology.

Mr. Pilkington and Professors Ellis and Gambs, who plan extensive traveling in conjunction with their researches, will use their grants primarily to defray their traveling expenses.

Mr. Gambs is planning an analysis of the economic and social changes in the South. Mr. Ellis plans to visit schools having a course in American studies to investigate the desirability of having such a course at Hamilton. Finally, Librarian Walter Pilkington plans to work on the task of editing the Kirkland papers in New England.

Award McKinney Prizes To Three Winning Speakers

Daniel Teitelbaum, Richard Hall, and James Citranglo placed first in the McKinney Prize Speaking Contests held Wednesday evening, April 27. Each of the three competed with three others in his class for first place.

In his impromptu speech on *Cultural Diversity as a Basis for Democracy*, Teitelbaum criticized American immigration policy and called for a more open-minded attitude toward small cultural groups. "From diversity will come the unity, greatness, and future strength of the United States," he said.

Richard Hall spoke on *Should Bingo Be Legalized?* in the sophomore extemporaneous contest. Hall told of the positions of the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches and asserted that bingo would result in big-time gambling operations and poverty to low income families and represented what he called "perverted religious giving."

James Citranglo chose excerpts from Byron's *The Prisoner of Chillon* for the freshman memorized speech contest.

Placing second in the junior contest was Alfred E. Prettyman,

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Morron Lecturers Return to Chapel For Symposium

The sixth and final program of the John Hershel Morron lecture series will be held Sunday evening in the Chapel. Four of the five lecturers who appeared earlier in the year will conduct a symposium on the series topic, *The Rationality of the Christian Faith*.

Professor Theodore M. Greene of Yale University, the first speaker of the series will not be able to attend. Those who will return are C. J. Ducasse, professor emeritus of philosophy at Brown University, Professor Yves R. Simon, chairman of the Committee on Social Thought at Chicago University, Professor Paul Tillich of Union Theological Seminary, and Professor Paul Hartshorne of Chicago.

Each of the four speakers, all holding different ideas on the lecture topic, has read the lectures delivered by the others. On Sunday each will talk briefly about the areas of agreement and conflict with the other lectures. After the prepared comments the four will discuss the subject informally and will answer questions from the students.

Professor Paul Hayner, moderator of the discussion, hopes

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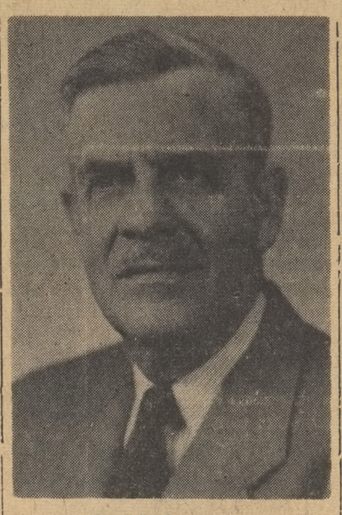
Alumni To Receive Honors

Two outstanding scientists, both Hamilton graduates, will receive honorary degrees at the Commencement, June 5. Dr. Theodore Hunt Ingalls '29 and Dr. Arthur Jackson Mix '10, will be awarded doctor of science degrees.

Ingalls was born in Utica in 1908 and received his A.B. from Hamilton in 1929. In 1933 he was graduated from Harvard Medical School, and served his internship at Peter Brent Brigham Hospital in Boston. In 1936 Ingalls was awarded a fellowship from the William Hunter Workman Foundation for one year of post graduate work at Harvard.

In 1948 he was selected to serve as the director of health at St. Mark's School and Lafayette School. He is now serving as an associate professor of epidemiology at the Harvard University School for Public Health.

Ingalls has been doing research in the causes and methods of pos-



Dr. Arthur Mix

sible prevention of congenital malformations of human beings. Working with mice and rats, Ingalls has made great strides in discovering the causes for mongolism. His theories have been reported in *Time* and in many medical journals.

Also receiving a degree will be Arthur Jackson Mix.

After graduating from Hamilton in 1910, Mix went to Cornell, where he received his Ph.D. in 1916. He studied further at the Royal College of Science in London, the Botanical Institute of Hamburg, Germany, and the Botanical Museum Institute of Plant Protection in Stockholm.

In 1953, Mix wrote the *Manual of Medical Mycology*. In that same year he was given a grant from the American Philosophical Society and the University of Kansas to visit three continents in a year to obtain additional cultures of *genus taphrina* — a germ which causes blights on plants and trees. The study of the *taphrina* has been Mix's principal work for the past three decades.

Mix is now professor of botany at the University of Kansas.

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Here's Our Chance...

The approval by the Student Council of a Student Committee on Curriculum indicates a healthy interest upon the part of the student body in this important part of college life.

Of course, no committee can ever eliminate the obligation that each individual has to evaluate his educational experience and suggest ways in which it may be strengthened. However, such a committee can do much to stimulate interest in the curriculum and to investigate in detail certain educational problems.

Earlier this month a committee at Amherst published a 31 page report that indicated the capability of undergraduates in analyzing college curricula. This report, *Education at Amherst,* is a favorable indication of what may be done by the Student Committee next year. Comments from Amherst students seem to indicate that their report has succeeded in provoking discussion and in recommending important improvements in the course system.

Interestingly enough, the booklet was not prepared by a specially selected committee, but by an undergraduate social fraternity. The Theta Xi fraternity on its own accord undertook a large scale project to evaluate certain courses offered at Amherst.

On the whole, the report presents a rosy picture of Amherst education. However, the objections which the report raises to the curriculum are of greatest interest. These objections are mainly two: mediocrity and dullness.

From time to time the report objects that education is suffering because of a fear of making a course hard. The report indicates that this attitude threatens the college with mediocre education. Therefore, in certain courses the report recommends 'more outside reading,' 'a little more work,' 'more composition work,' etc. etc.

Dullness, we find the report hinting in several places, is caused by an improper relation between facts and theory in certain courses. The report realizes that both are essential for true education, but that one must never over-shadow the other. Sometimes improperly planned laboratory work seems to cause dullness, at other times memorization for memorization's sake. On the other hand, sometimes contending theory without adequate opportunity for substantiation is the objection.

The Theta Xi report is certainly a creditable undertaking for an undergraduate organization. It is intelligent, reasonable, and sound. It augurs well for the Hamilton Committee.

Vive La France...

Last week the French Club staged the Jules Romains play, *Knock,* in the round at Commons. The play was entirely in French, and it marked the first time in recent years that a foreign language play has been presented at Hamilton. The French Club and Professors Moraud and Brachfeld certainly deserve praise for their initiative and effort. We were happy to see that *Knock* met with success and we hope that an annual production of a foreign language play will become a tradition on the Hill.

It was, however, disheartening to see how few students attended the play. Although the Club did have a decent-sized audience, the faculty outnumbered the students by a wide margin and, in fact, there were almost as many Wells and Colgate students there as Hamilton men. We hope that next year, if the Club chooses to produce another play, the student response will be worthy of the fine job that the French Club has been doing.

FINAL EXAMINATION SCHEDULE — SPRING TERM — 1955

(Subject to Final Faculty Approval)

May 23 - June 1

Morning Examinations	**9:00 to 12:00**
Afternoon Examinations	**2:00 to 5:00**
English Composition 14	**1:30 to 5:30**
Public Speaking 12	**2:00 to 4:00**

Report All Conflicts to the Dean's Office at Once.

Monday a.m., May 23

Chemistry 12	Chemistry 10, 15
English Lit. 22 (f)	Root 23
English Lit. 44	Root 20
German 30	Benedict 6
History 24	Truax 6
Philosophy 22	Truax 1, 3, 4
Spanish 12	Benedict 1

Monday p.m., May 23

English Lit. 22 (a)	Root 23
French 36	Benedict 1
Geology 12	Science 109, 211
History 22	Truax 4, 6
Mathematics 34	Root 24
Physics 12 (a&d)	Sci. 310, 312

Tuesday a.m., May 24

History 12	Truax 1, 3, 4, 6
Poli. Sci. 44	Root 6
Psychology 34	Science 109

Tuesday p.m., May 24

Anthropology 12	Science 6
Education 32	Root 26
German 12 (d-h)	Benedict 6
German 34	Benedict 5
Mathematics 32	Root 24
Music 22	Benedict 3
Political Sci. 22	Truax 1, 3
Spanish 30	Benedict 2

Wednesday a.m., May 25

Geology 26	Science 109
Philo. 12	Root 20, 23, 24, 26
Philosophy 26	Truax 1, 3, 4

Wednesday p.m., May 25

English Lit. 32	Truax 1
History 32	Truax 6
Mathematics 14	Root 23
Mathematics 16	Root 20, 24, 26
Mathematics 26	Root 33
Political Sci. 38	Root 6

Thursday a.m., May 26

Philosophy 42	Root 6
Political Sci 12 (b,e)	Truax 3
Political Sci. 12 (g, h)	Truax 1
Psychology 22 (c, h)	Science 109
Psychology 22 (f)	Science 211
Psychology 36 (g)	Science 211

Thursday p.m., May 26

Economics 42	Root 20
English Lit. 22 (c&g)	Truax 1, 3
English Lit. 38 (g)	Root 23
German 12 (c-g)	Benedict 6
History 36	Truax 6
Latin 22	Benedict 1

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

April 27, 1955

Dear Editor:

I have received a very interesting letter from a former Editor of the Spectator: Daniel Weatherbee Fulmer, which I believe should prove enlightening reading. Following is an excerpt:

"By the way, before I forget, have you read that noisome piece of journalism ground out by the *Spectator* last week in the form of an "editorial." Do pick it up now and follow it along—just for amusement's sake. In the best 17th century prose style, it is entitled, "On Expansion."

"The whole idea is this. It's a complicated problem. As it states again on page four, under the continued heading of Debate, the delemma is thus: one horn is that everyone should be a part of the fraternity system, i.e. the basic social structure of the College; second horn is that the fraternities are private social clubs which choose their own members. Now then, the next step in our logic is to agree that these two views cannot be harmonized . . . at least by administrative fiat. And we repeat it is a very difficult problem. Why even Phil Jessup said that he never has been involved in a discussion of a more involved question. And, quoth the *Spectator,* "Jessup has negotiated with Molotov and other prominent diplomats." This choice bit is the first indication of the childishness with which the paper has tackled the problem. And Jessup has negotiated with Molotov. Just stands out right there, like a lolly pop, in all its inanity.

"Now to the editorial proper, the tenor of which is that two such opposing theories can resolve into a compromise. Because all problems can be compromised, you know. Any old compromise. There must be one. Let's see now: First we take that idea of having the freshmen eat in a body in Commons. Right. Now for the other side. Of course, we won't put up with preferential bidding because that would abrogate the principle of the right — I should put this in quotes because it's worse writing than mine — of the fraternity to choose its own members. And anyway, "Once some of the marginal men were pledged to the fraternities under this system, they might even find their plight worse than as an independent because of a not wanted feeling." By no means—we can't have our boys not wanted, Tch, Tch. But we've got an out, don't worry. I quote, "if the fraternities were willing to try to take between 90 and 95 percent of the freshmen could we not hope that with the remaining group of between 40 and 50 men some adequate social arrangement could be made in the form of an independent club? But a real and healthy one." Not like the sick one we've got now. But wait a minute. Catch that phrasing: "we're willing to try," "Quite possible," " could we not hope." But here's the clincher: "Couldn't this club provide real friendship among Hamilton men, all of whom are supposed to be worthy of our friendship?" Ugh, I'm prostrate at that one. All of a sudden this innocent, wide-eyed idealism, just smeared in sweet profusion all over the place. I'll

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Here And There

By Bob Connor

A few weeks ago we published an item in this column discussing opportunities for college education for Negro students. This week we received a note from the National Scholarship Service and Fund for Negro Students that explained this item in greater detail. We mentioned the fact that colleges throughout the country have remarked that they would be willing to admit and give scholarship aid to more Negro students if there were more qualified applicants. This is true, our note advises us, but "The admission and scholarship opportunities referred to are at the colleges and have nothing whatever to do with our funds which are certainly not in surplus."

At Trinity College in Hartford, Connecticut, an anti-grubbiness campaign was waged recently. Twenty five Sigma Nu's appeared in formal attire for their classes one day. Their outfits included cut-away morning coats, striped trousers, ascot tie, pearl grey vest, homburg, and walking cane. A local tailor loaned the clothes to the fraternity for two days as part of the local "Dress for Success" campaign. "The purpose of this demonstration," remarked one Sigma Nu, "is to make students in the nation's colleges get rid of the sloppy look". The campaign has met with something less than wildfire success.

The recent proposal by the Student Council that something be done about a second hand book exchange on campus brings to mind similar attempts at Williams and Amherst. Williams reports that their book store after almost a year of operation has met with 'fair" success. Amherst has discussed the possibility of establishing an exchange but has not set one up yet. Both schools complain of a lack of full student support for an idea that could mean considerable savings.

Headline in the "Wellesley College News":

MEN INVADE CAMPUS FOR 'INTERMISSION'

'Intermission' is described as ," a three-act extravaganza weekend".

A letter to Dean Tolles reports that Hamilton leads all other colleges in the country in the number of men placed in General Electric's Advertising and Public Relations Training Program. Pete Meinke,'55, and Ed Dewan, '55 have accepted jobs with G.E. "To date", added the letter, "no other college has placed more than one man on our program." For this program G.E. selects 40 men from 1500 applicants.

Another news item from Wellesley describes what must be one of America's most interesting jobs: night watchman at a Wellesley Dorm. Mr. Edward J. Buckley, night watchman, reports some observations from his nocturnal perambulations:

Ninety percent of the girls have dates on Saturday night.

Sixty percent of the girls have dates on Friday nights, and "stay out until the final whistle is blown".

Wellesley is not a party school.

More girls are staying up all night than ever before.

An interview with a Wellesley college policeman presents another sidelight on night life at Wellesley. The policeman complains: that his biggest problem is Saturday night parkers. Wellesley hires three special police assistants to handle traffic on Saturday nights.

Up until last week 17 Russian student editors were planning to visit colleges throughout this country. At the last minute the Russian government refused to allow the students to be fingerprinted, and comply with American immigration regulations.

Meanwhile efforts at Hamilton had been going on to get the delegation to visit The Hill. Several long distance phone calls went back and forth between Buttrick Hall and the Institute of International Education, which was arranging their tour. Unfortunately, the itinerary had been set several weeks ago, and could not be changed to include Hamilton.

After complaints here about poor attendance at the evening meetings of the classes to elect officers, the Amherst "Student" reports that no one was nominated for president of the senior class at Amherst. A "Student" reporter investigated the situation and found the source of the trouble: apathy.

The *Foghorn,* University of San Francisco's paper, reports a new houseparty sport: grunion hunting. Grunion, we discover, are small silvery fish which are left on beaches as the tide recedes. The *Foghorn* insists that the object of the sport is to catch grunion; however, some undergraduates have used the sport as an excuse for beach parties. The *Foghorn* feels this is a sad fate for a noble sport.

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Two Hill Professors Study High School English Program

In the past month two Hamilton professors, together with representatives of several other colleges and high schools throughout the state, have undertaken a novel project to help eliminate some of the difficulties college freshmen face.

Dwight Lindley and Edwin Barrett, both of the English Department, have participated in a program sponsored by the Central New York School Study Council to investigate the teaching of English in colleges and high schools in New York. The purpose of this program is to find ways to make the change-over from high school to college less difficult for freshmen.

This project began in early March at Syracuse and completed its first stage this week when a report of teachers from Hamilton, Utica College, Hobart, and Syracuse submitted a report on the investigations they have made.

Hamilton's participation in the program has taken two forms. First, in the middle of March a high school English teacher from Old Forge visited some Hamilton freshman English classes and talked with several faculty members and students. During this visit she sought to find out what was demanded by the freshman English course at Hamilton.

Secondly, Lindley and Barrett have visited two high schools and examined the level of English teaching there. One of the high schools visited was Old Forge. In these visits, the Hamilton professors sought to find out what kind of reading and writing was being done in the high schools, how much was demanded of students, and ways in which teaching might be improved.

"One of the major difficulties," said Lindley, "is teaching both college entrance and terminal English to the same class." Another problem was, of course, overloaded classes and too few teachers.

One of the recommendations the report made was that more emphasis be placed on the training of English teachers in English literature and composition, and less on technical courses in education.

Was Los Taps Paul McGiffin

Was Los tapped its fifth sophomore in Chapel ceremonies yesterday. The fifth man, Paul McGiffin is a member of the Honor Court and throws the javelin for the track team. McGiffin is also a member of the Chapel Board and an Alpha Delt. He is from Summit, New Jersey. Last week the junior honorary society tapped Bill Scoones, a mainstay on the hockey team from Clinton. Scoones is a member of Sigma Phi.

Medical School Acceptances Set

Eighteen members of this year's senior class have been accepted in medical or dental schools.

The pre-medical committee of Dr. Hess, Dr. McKinney, Dr. Rogers, Dean Tolles, and Dr. Cameron has succeeded in placing in medical schools all those students whom it strongly believed should have the school's recommendation. Over the past several years, almost every student receiving Hamilton's recommendation has been placed in a medical or dental school.

The seniors who are accepted at medical or dental school are: Don Goss, Harvard; Stan Schade Yale; Ed Vadeika, Columbia; Sam Rosen, Columbia; John Ibach, Rochester; Ira Roschelle, Rochester; Leo Holmsten, Rochester; Gerry Resner, Long Island; Hal Sussman, Syracuse; Bob Hall, Buffalo; Bob Fellows, McGill; Ellis Fribush, Albany; Lou Kuller, George Washington; Dave Sagman, Virginia; James Thompson, Bowman Gray; Mark Shaffer, Western Reserve; Sandy Klein, Hahneman; and Phil Fenster, Columbia Dental school.

McKinney...

who spoke on *Communism—Offspring of the West Now Turned On Its Parents.*

Martin Nadel and Earle Schemerhorn tied for second among the sophomores.

This week's S. C. A. movie, "The Devil and Daniel Webster," is an adaptation of a famous short story by Stephen Vincent Benet.

The film which won an Academy Award for its musical score will be shown Friday and Saturday night at 8:00 in the Chemistry Auditorium. Admission is 40 cents. It stars Walter Huston, Simone Simon, and James Craig.

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SPORTSFOLIO

By Peter Dayton

A new type spirit seems to be settling on the Hamilton campus. It is a type that many people hate to see invade College Hill, its arrival is recent and for the sake of morale on the athletic teams it had better be short.

It didn't manifest itself until the winter sports season where it turned up on the basketball court and the hockey rink. It appeared only in close contests, or in a game where one member of a Blue team was definitely making mistakes. Instead of cheering him on and encouraging him to play a better game, the "new spirit" takes on a different aspect. Ridicule comes from the stands as people sit and make unnecessary remarks about the capabilities of people on the floor or ice. Players aren't the only ones subjected to this ridicule and derision, for remarks about the coaches and other people can be plainly discerned.

Those who were at the Hamilton-Utica College basketball game saw a good example of this. Anyone entering the gym would have wondered just what side the Hamilton cheering section was on. The remarks that were made were certainly uncalled for.

Instead of a college crowd at athletic events, it sounds more like a Saturday afternoon crowd at Ebbets Field. It was better back in the days when there was little spirit than now when the spirit comes in the form of ridicule. No spirit at all is much better than the spirit that we have recently witnessed.

This week's well deserved Athlete of the Week Award goes to Ed Reed for his four years of athletic achievement here at Hamilton . . . received the Block H four year award in football and lacrosse . . . captain of lacrosse two years and football one . . . played both attack and defense, scoring two goals against Hobart . . . in addition to his athletic prowess, president of the senior class . . . president of the IFC . . . member of the student council . . . president of Psi U . . . graduate of CBA in Albany.

Netmen Play Utica Tomorrow; Defeat Union and Hartwick

Toppling a strong Union team, 7-2, and smashing Hartwick, 8-1, the Hamilton netmen ran their season's record to three wins.

Saturday's match against Hartwick was never in doubt as the Blue took five of the singles and swept the doubles. Hartwick's Campbell was the only man able to break through the Hamilton net as he defeated Harry Presberg 6-1, 7-5. No match went to three sets in the entire match, as the Blue easily triumphed.

PRESBURG LOSES AGAIN.

Wednesday against Union the story was different, no match was a walkaway as had been the case previously. The Blue took four of the singles and swept the doubles. Presberg lost to Union's Whitman 6-3, 10-8, and Captain Dick Miller was defeated by Silver for the only two losses; however the two teamed up to beat the same two in the first doubles, 3-6, 14-12, 6-2. In the second set the Hamilton duo were behind 4-1, before they finally caught on fire.

The two freshmen, Craig Henzel and Tim Smelzer continued their winning ways in both sinles and doubles competition. Against Hartwick, Henzel won 6-0, 6-1, and was extended to only 6-2, 6-3 by Union. Smelzer ran into a little trouble against Union, but he settled down to win, 6-4, 6-4.

In the next week, the Blue will play three matches. Tomorrow, they meet Utica College, who they beat in their first match, 9-0. Tuesday they meet Rochester, and next Friday, Hobart invades Hamilton.

Hamilton's crack sprinter and broad jumper Earl Cline shown in early season workout. Cline recently pulled a muscle which has been slow to respond to treatment, and he won't be able to compete in the 220 dash or his specialty, the broad jump, in tomorrow's meet with Union.

Hamilton Trackmen Meet Union Dutchmen Here Tomorrow Afternoon

This Saturday, at 2:30, the Hamilton College track team will play host to Union in the first outside meet of the year for the Continentals. The trackmen will be sorely handicapped by the loss of Earl Cline, whose torn muscle has been slow to respond to treatment. However, Cline will run in the 100 yard dash, although he will be absent from the 220, the 220 low hurdles, and the broad jump.

The Dutchmen from Union suffered a defeat at the hands of Rochester University last weekend, and they will be seeking a win to avenge this defeat. Last year, the two teams staged a close meet, Hamilton losing by five points. However, Union has lost most of its last year's stars, and their team this year is made up predominantly of sophomores and juniors.

In the field events for Hamilton, John Ibach, Joe Nuccio, and Pres Dawes will go in the high jump; this combination was quite successful for Hamilton last year. In the broad jump, Jim White, Hal Bruck, and Dick Connors will try to make up for the loss of Earl Cline, while, in the pole vault, Bob Braunlich, Jay Eveleth, and Dick Boyd will try to salvage some points; the track team has only recently developed three men for this event, and it is hoped that this will no longer be a give away for Hill opponents. On the javelin, Paul McGiffin, Bob Braunlich, and John Ibach are hoping to pick up points, while Tony Romano, McGiffin, and Ron Telford will be hurling the discus. Romano, White, and Telford in the shot put round out the Hamilton squad for the field events.

In the running events, Earl Cline, Steve Harwood, and Hal Bruck will run in the 100, Paul Carter, Harwood, and Bruck in the 220, Irad Ingraham, Chris Durham, and Dick Harnett in the 440. Only Doug Robinson is a sure starter in the 880. Perry Weed and Bruce Bartlett will run the mile, while Al Shaler, Milt Harkrader, and Weed will run the two mile. In the 120 high hurdles, Ibach, Pete Eld, and Roy Basler will be seeking a victory, and Eld, Basler, and Clark will compete in the 220 low hurdles. In the mile relay Pete Eld, Tom Hays, Chris Durham, or possibly Irad Ingraham will run for Hamilton.

BOX SCORE

UNION	AB	R	H	PO	A
LaVigna, lf	5	0	1	1	0
Yates, 2b	5	0	1	6	2
Vollmer, 3b	3	1	1	1	5
Ward, c	3	0	2	2	0
Carpenter, 1b	4	0	1	7	0
Drescher, ss	4	0	0	4	1
Wodarzak, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Koss, cf	3	0	0	3	0
Booth, p	2	0	0	0	4
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HAMILTON	AB	R	H	PO	A
Glezen, lf	5	0	3	2	0
Hasseltine, 1b	5	0	0	7	2
Schuman, cf	3	1	1	1	0
Moffett, 3b	4	0	1	3	1
Olson, ss	4	2	2	2	4
Hovey, rf	4	1	2	0	0
Moses, 2b	3	0	1	3	1
Pratt, c	4	1	0	9	1
Penny, p	4	0	2	0	2
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Hill Stickmen to Tackle Cortland State Saturday

Tomorrow afternoon a high spirited Hamilton College lacrosse team will travel to Cortland where it will meet the aggressive Cortland State Teachers' stickmen. The next scheduled home game for the Buff and Blue squad is on Wednesday, May 4, when the Middlebury College club comes to Clinton for the first game in the new home and home series.

In the Parents' Day opener against Hobart last Saturday afternoon the Continentals outran, outpassed, and outployed the heavily-favored Statesmen; however, a last quarter drive by the men from Geneva was too much for the Hamilton squad, and the home team came out on the short end of a 13-10 score.

Hobart Takes Lead

A cheering crowd saw the Purple and Gold jump out to an early lead in the first period on a goal by Hobart's Capt. Jon Kraus. Then the Hamilton defense tightened, and the score at the end of the first quarter stood Hobart 1, Hamilton 0. 26 seconds after the second period face-off Hobart tallied again. Then the Continentals rolled into high gear; attackman Bob Behnke took a pass from Don Ivers and ripped the cords for the first Hamilton score. The fast-breaking Hamiltonians matched Hobart goal for goal in the remaining twelve minutes of play and when the timer's gun sounded ending the first half of play, Hobart retained a slim 6-5 lead.

After a ten-minute break the teams took the field for the decisive second half of play. The Statesmen scored again in the first minute, but Bobby Fellows put the Buff and Blue back in the game with an unassisted goal at 4:40 in the third period. Kraus widened the gap for the visitors, making the score 8-6 in favor of the Statesmen. From this point on the Continentals dominated the play. Bob Behnke scored his third goal of the afternoon at 8:16 and Harvey Katz outran the Hobart defense to tie the score at 8-8.

Hamilton Ahead

The Hamilton stickmen took the lead for the first time in the game when Capt. Ed Reed put a shot by the Hobart goalie at 10:03 of the same period. However, Hobart bounced right back and evened the score at 9-9 before the third period ended.

The Hamilton attack bogged down in the last quarter of play and the team was four goals to one, a long shot by Ed Reed. The deciding factor was the ability of the Statesmen to score when Hamilton had men in the penalty box.

Coach Bill Tomik was very pleased with the performance of his squad and said after the game that "it was the best example of team spirit, desire to win, and cooperation that I have seen since I have been here at Hamilton."

Bob Behnke and Bobby Fellows scored three goals each, captain Ed Reed flipped in two tallies, and Don Ivers and Harvey Katz each had one score for Hamilton in the course of the game.

Hamilton Baseball Team Plays Union At Schenectady

Beat Utica Team Last Saturday

Greg Batt's undefeated baseball team will travel to the Capital District this weekend where they will face RPI on Friday and Union on Saturday.

The pitching burden will be shared by John Penney (1-0) and Ron Hovey (1-0), with Al McGann, who has not yet pitched this season, available for relief duties. Batt will take only a 12-man squad, with an extra catcher, pitcher, and infielder making the trip. However, McGann and Hovey can both be used in the outfield.

In the seasons opener last Saturday, the Continentals dropped the Utica College Pioneers, 5-4 behind the five hit pitching of Hovey.

Utica jumped off to a three run lead in the first inning, as four Hamilton errors combined with one hit to allow the tallies. The Continentals scored their first run in the third inning on a walk to Pratt and singles by Glezen and Schuman. Hamilton scored single tallies in the fifth when Pratt homered, and in the sixth when Olson, who had singled and advanced on a wild pitch, was driven in by Hovey's single.

Utica took a 4-3 lead in the top of the eighth on an unearned run, but the Continentals struck back for the winning markers by putting together two errors, a walk, and a single by Hovey for two runs.

Last Tuesday, Hamilton batters raked Union pitching for twelve hits and five runs, while John Penney held the Dutchmen to six hits and one run.

The outcome of the game was decided early, when Hamilton scored all their runs in the second and third innings. Singles by Olson, Hovey, Penney, and Glezen, a sacrifice by Moses, and a Union error led to three runs. In the third stanza, hits by Schuman, Hovey, and Olson gave the Continentals their final runs.

The Dutchmen got their only score in the sixth inning as a result of a walk, a single, and an error.

Delta Phi elected Dom Tocci, '56 president at a meeting April 19. Other officers include Barry Carson, '56, vice-president; John Stanton, '58, corresponding secretary; James Citranglo, '58, recording secretary, and William Braunlich, '57, treasurer.

Golf Team Beats Hobart for First Win Wednesday

To Play Union Here Saturday

The Hamilton College golf team evened its record last Wednesday by defeating Hobart College 5½ to 3½. Previously, the golf team had dropped its opener to Harpur College at Endicott by the close score of 5 to 4.

Last Saturday the golf team traveled to Endicott, N.Y., only to return to the Hill having been edged by Harpur. Dan Koehler was low man for the day with a 78, which was six strokes over par for the course. Besides Koehler's win (3-1), Ron Woodward (3-1) and Jim Schade (5-4) also posted victories for the Hamilton varsity.

Similarly, in the successful match against Hobart on Wednesday, Woodward (6-5) and Koehler (3-2) and Schade (5-3) again won their matches. Captain Koehler once more was low man for both teams with a 73 (4 over par for Hamilton's course).

An interesting incident during the Hobart match was Jack Taylor's successful effort in tying his opponent after being down 3 with three holes left to play. By winning his last three holes, Taylor gave Hamilton an extra ½ point.

In their season's opener last Friday, the JV Golf team scored an impressive victory over MVTI here on our own course. The score was 6½ to 2½.

The Buff and Blue will face its toughest opponent so far this season when Union College descends on Hamilton's links tomorrow. Tee-off time will be at 2:00 p.m.

TENNIS SUMMARY

Hartwick 1 - Hamilton 8

Campbell (H) defeated Presberg (Ham.) 6-1, 7-5. Henzel (Ham.) defeated Carle (H) 6-0, 6-1. Miller (Ham.) beat Heath (H) 6-0, 6-2. Roberts (Ham.) defeated Allenhofer (H) 6-1, 6-1. Ravandal (Ham.) beat Lovell (H) 6-2, 6-1. Smelzer (Ham.) beat Blything (H) 6-0, 1-0 (forfeit). Presberg and Miller (Ham.) defeated Cambell and Allenhofer, 6-1, 6-1. Henzel and Smelzer (Ham.) defeated Leflin and Judson (H) 6-0, 6-3. Grey and Cox (Ham.) beat Carle and Heath (H) 6-1, 6-2.

Union 2 - Hamilton 7

Whitman (U) beat Presberg (H) 6-3, 10-8. Henzel (H) beat Guerra (U) 6-2, 6-3. Silver (U) defeated Miller (H) 6-3, 6-4. Roberts (H) beat Prapp (U) 5-7, 8-6, 6-2. Ravandal (H) defeated Kahn (U) 6-2, 6-2. Smelzer (H) defeated Forwand (U) 6-4, 6-4. Presberg and Miller defeated Whitman and Silver 3-6, 14-12, 6-2. Henzel and Smelzer beat Guerra and Propp 6-0, 9-7. Cox and Grey beat Kuhn and Forwand 6-2, 6-0.

Symposium . . .

that the symposium will be on a less technical level than the lectures. The philosophy and religion department also hopes that some of the visitors will be able to stay over to meet informally with Monday classes.

Hayner expects to interest a publisher in a book which would include the five prepared lectures. The book, to be edited by Hayner, will also include a short introduction to tie the lectures together. Plans for the work are still incomplete, but some publishers have already shown interest.

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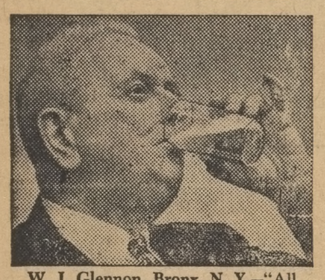

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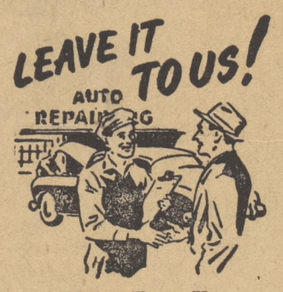

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leave the rest of the nonsense for you to read. Don't miss the pious demand for College cooperation, culminating in the worthy request that "Certainly the College would have to help. It would probably have to provide them with a stone house." Not one of them thar wood houses. A real live stone house. Gee Mom, can I, really? But read on, mad fool: "It would have to be careful of its admission policies." Now I am fuming. Careful of what? Careful not to take undesirables, queer people, different ones, what kind? But then it sneaks in the remark that he would have to encourage the elimination of discrimination in all forms among existing fraternities." How — by being careful of policies? Not by administrative fiat, certainly. By general good will? Fair play? Honor? Hogwash!

"All I can say, is shout now, my friend. To the roof tops. If this is typical of "thought" and "discussion" of the problem, then we're sunk!"

Dan (Fulmer)

I, for one, am happy to see that we still have some alert alumni who are willing to speak their piece to the College . . . who still show a real and living interest in Hamilton College.

Sincerely,
Your Most Conscientious
Letter Supplier,
Peter H. Rose

Editors Note . . .

It is certainly gratifying that last week's editorial stirred up interest even among alumni; however, it is unfortunate that through the letter's long diatribe against the editorial there was no note of any constructive plan to resolve the problem. We are the first to admit that the solution arrived at editorially last week is not a utopian solution, but we do feel that it points the way to an eventually more equitable system than Hamilton has today. Finally we feel that if the above letter is exemplary of "thought and discussion", any hopes for an equitable solution are lost.

April 24, 1955
Editor of the Spectator
Hamilton College
Clinton, New York
Dear Sir:

As a senior who will graduate in a few weeks, I should like to say a few words about the present fraternity system from the point of view of an independent It seems that since just about every other social group on the Hill has expressed itself on the question the independents have a right to their say.

First of all, I must disagree with the *Spectator* on its view that 100 percent rushing is not satisfactory. Why wouldn't such a system work if there were enough fraternities at Hamilton for every student? The College hopes to expand to 750 in the next few years. If there were say five more fraternities on the Hill would this not be ample accommodation for all who wanted to be in a fraternity? I think it would!

The Administration has hemed-and-hawed for a long time concerning the social problem at Hamilton, but they have done nothing. True, many problems would arise in the process of organizing these new houses, but if everyone co-operated and displayed a little sincerity, the difficulties could be easily resolved.

Unfortunately, human nature being what it is, fraternities do not like to take in certain people. The Jewish problem which arises as a result of this, could be easily resolved if a Jewish fraternity were organized at Hamilton. There are Jewish fraternities at almost every college in the eastern part of the United States and there seems to be little friction between them and other fraternities. Of course a Jewish student would still be free to join any house that bid him, not just the Jewish House.

If this system were adopted, rushing would, as usual, start in September, and any freshman who had not been bid by the first week in October would have the right to say whether or not he wanted to join. Those who said yes would be bid, and those saying no could eat in some central place.

The present system is poor for two reasons: the men who eat at Commons cannot all fit into the Squires Club; and secondly, there are some who do not want to join Squires Club because they feel that they do not have anything in common with most of the members of this predominantly Jewish organization.

The plight of the average independent is often a frustrating one — especially at House Party time.

Perhaps my proposals are too idealistic, but it is high time we looked at the facts boldly and squarely in the face, and started acting instead of talking. Every Hamilton man has the right to enjoy an active social life, which is unquestionably a very important segment of his college life.

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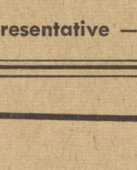
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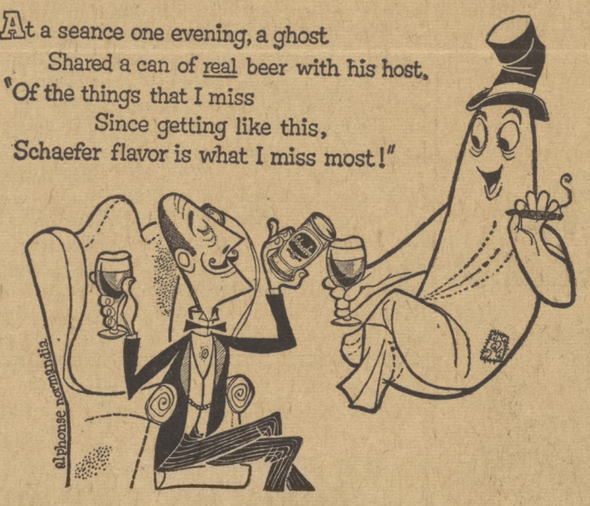

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